

## CONDENSED LOCAL ITEMS

Diaries, calendar 1905, beautiful Hawaiian view calendars.—Wall Nichols Co.

L. M. Whitehouse, the Honolulu contractor, is in the city, looking after his interests.

A large assortment of Whitman's candies has just been received by L. Turner Co., Ltd.

Deputy Clerk Hitchcock of the Fourth Circuit Court has received a commission as a notary public.

George Paul Duncker, formerly of Hilo was naturalized as a citizen last week in Honolulu by Judge Dole.

The opening of the tenders for pipe for the Hilo sewer has been postponed until Monday noon, January 2nd.

John Lecurgus has received a large supply of rich, juicy apples, oranges and other fruits for the Xmas trade.

Sam Decker one time a Hilo real estate agent has opened a gent's furnishing and clothing store at Wailuku.

The Xmas exercises of the Hilo Boarding school will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody is invited.

A special Christmas sermon will be delivered by Rev. W. C. Stewart next Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock at St. James Mission.

Lovers of smoking will be delighted with the Smokers' outfits made from Hawaiian woods. For sale at the Hilo Boarding School.

G. F. Alfonso, formerly of the Voz Publica, has assumed the editorial management of A Setta, the Portuguese weekly.

A petition endorsing Miss Jennie Martin for postmistress is being circulated and bears the signatures of many responsible business houses.

The S. S. Helene arrived Sunday morning at 2 o'clock with 45 bags of Alameda mail, one passenger and a large quantity of California fruit.

Before purchasing your Christmas presents, do not fail to see the novelties in Hawaiian polished woods at the Hilo Boarding School, which are for sale.

R. T. Guard, Agent, Mastson Navigation Co., has received a cable stating that the Enterprise will leave San Francisco tomorrow December 21st.

Rules for new game "500" free. W. N. Co.

Christmas Cards and Booklets. W. N. Co.

The Ladies Social Circle of the First Foreign Church will hold a business meeting in the Church parlors on Tuesday, December 20, at 2:30 p. m.

On Sunday evening, New Years night, there will be a union praise service at the Haili Church, to which all persons of all denominations are invited to attend.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Board of the First Foreign Church will be held on Tuesday, December 20, at 3:15. The ladies of the congregation are invited.

Since both Christmas and New Years fall upon Sundays, the respective holidays will be recognized by the Territorial government on the Mondays following.

Honolulu Plantation will ship its first cargo of refined sugar to the Coast this month. It is expected the S. S. Enterprise will call for the shipment after leaving Hilo.

If you wish your coffee to bring the highest market prices let the Hilo Coffee Mill clean, classify and place the same on the market for you. Liberal cash advances made on shipments.

Notice appears in this issue that water rates are payable on or before January 1st, 1905. It is delinquent for thirty days after becoming due, the privileges are liable to be cut off without further notice.

The Evening Bulletin of Honolulu is conducting a voting contest among its subscribers for the most popular person in the Territory of Hawaii. Six prizes are offered from an automobile to a barrel of flour.

B. Franklin Howland was a Hilo visitor on Thursday and Friday last week.

The Chess Club meets at the home of Sheriff Andrews on Friday evening next, at 7:30 o'clock.

Road Engineer G. H. Gere and wife returned from a two weeks tour of the island last Friday morning.

R. A. von Arnswaldt of Papeete returned on the Helene via Honolulu from a six weeks' vacation at the coast.

Joseph Holi has been appointed poundmaster of the South Kona pound established by official notice at Houomalilo.

The public schools closed Friday, generally with exercises for the Christmas holidays, until Tuesday, January 3rd.

Miss Carrie Dunn has taken a room at the Peacock Block, where she will receive orders for dress making and plain sewing.

The Misses Richardson arrived on the Korea last week and are making a brief stay in Honolulu before their return to Hilo.

Gilson Bell, a stenographer in the Attorney General's Office at Honolulu left on the Mongolia for a vacation on the mainland.

An opportunity to sell a five or twenty-five acre lot near the railroad in Olan, suitable for coffee, cane or bananas appears in another column.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Forneaux returned from their mountain house at Fernside on Saturday and will remain in Hilo during the remaining winter.

Aug. Ahrens and family are residing at the Richardson homestead on Church street, their household effects having arrived from Honolulu last week.

The track at Hoolulu Park is being put in shape and from the number of entries already made, there promises to be some good sport on New Years Day.

It is stated that when Detective Hatter left Honolulu last week for the coast, some one pilfered his baggage and the sleuth was compelled to depart without his trunk.

Large and small calabashes suitable for Mainland gifts made from Hawaiian woods are for sale by W. H. Beers at reasonable prices. On exhibition at the office of I. E. Ray.

J. A. Scott was a returning passenger on the Kinan last week from the Coast. He reports his daughter Margaret much improved and with her mother will return to Hilo some time during January.

Calabashes for Christmas gifts are greatly appreciated. W. H. Beers has on exhibition a large and varied assortment of calabashes made from Hawaiian woods, which he will sell at reasonable prices.

Clarence G. White, of Cleveland, O., a son of the principal owner of the White Sewing Machine Co., is registered at the Peacock. Mr. White is a man of means and is looking over the Islands as a field for investment.

Benton & Arioli are having difficulty in procuring sufficient citizen labor to continue the construction work on the Peck and 18 1/2 mile roads, Olan. They advertise in this issue for fifty pick and shovel men.

U. S. Experiment Station Director Jared Smith has secured five acres near Hilo for growing bananas. He recommends transferring half of the Bluefields bananas now growing there to the Hilo land. The Board of Agriculture agrees.

Isaac Erickson, contractor has signed the contract for the construction of the new famous Kalapana road. This is the road which commenced and ended nowhere in the vicinity of Kalapana, and the completion of which was authorized under the loan bill.

**First Foreign Church.**  
Sabbath, December 25, 1904, 11 a. m.—  
"The Word was made flesh and dwelt among us," John 1:14. 7:30 p. m.—  
"Syria, the land of Christ."

**Sprained Ankle, Stiff Neck, Lame Shoulder.**  
These are three common ailments for which Chamberlain's Pain Balm is especially valuable. If promptly applied it will save you time, money and suffering when troubled with any one of these ailments. For sale by the Hilo Drug Co.

**Kinan Arrivals, Dec. 14th.**  
Master and Miss Jakins: J. A. Scott, J. Brito, Miss F. Moir, Miss L. A. Moir, Mrs. Snow, Mr. Giacometti and wife, Master R. Ahrens, R. C. Kennedy and wife, C. G. Wight, W. S. Terry, H. H. Scovel, Y. Ukita, N. C. Wilfong, H. Wicks, M. D. Hall, J. H. Howland, Father Mandolin, J. K. Bulger and wife, G. C. Bailey.

**Kinan Departures Dec. 17, 1904.**  
Theo. Wolff, F. J. Lendemann, Mrs. C. H. Swain, H. H. Scovel, G. C. Bailey, G. Blake, F. C. Puetow, D. Conway, D. B. Maconachie, Alex. McBain, E. J. Walker, Geo. F. Renton, J. K. Bulger and wife.

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## Criminal Calendar Finished.

With the nolle prosequi of the indictment for gross cheat against Kim Mun San, a former lawyer's interpreter, after a mistrial, Judge Parsons brought to a close Friday morning the criminal calendar.

The jury in the Kim Mun San case remained out all Thursday night and reported Friday morning a disagreement, whereupon they were discharged. The Court would not allow a continuance, which would necessitate the holding of the defendant in jail. Deputy Attorney General Lightfoot thereupon entered a nolle prosequi and having just time enough to catch the steamer for Honolulu, bade good-bye to the Court, officers and members of the bar.

The eight Koreans indicted for participation in the Olan riot, plead guilty and were each sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

The Rulia rape case, the first trial of which was last May, was tried before Judge Matthewman Wednesday. The jury after remaining out two hours returned with a verdict of guilty, recommending the defendant to the clemency of the Court. He was sentenced Thursday to two years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$300 with costs.

Judge Matthewman excused the jury Friday until yesterday morning, when the assumpsit suit by the Puna Sugar Co. vs. Akana and Ah Hip was heard, by stipulation.

During the present term of the Court, Robert Innes Lillie and William Weight were naturalized as citizens of the United States. The former is a native of Scotland and has resided in the Islands since November, 1878. Mr. Weight is a native of England and according to his statement came to Hawaii in October, 1863.

## December Weddings.

The marriage of Christian Castendyk of Hilo and Mrs. Bernice Halstead Reed will take place in Honolulu on Monday, December 26th, at St. Clements Chapel, Rev. John Osborne officiating. Only the immediate friends of the bride and groom will be present. After a brief wedding trip, the bride couple will take up their residence about the middle of January at the beautiful home of the bride in Riverside Park, Hilo. The place is being renovated and remodeled and promises once more to become the center of a popular social circle.

Invitations have been issued to the wedding of Miss Frances Mary Williamson to Donald McHattie Forbes, which takes place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Moir on Thursday, December 29th. The ceremony will be at 11 o'clock, and after a wedding breakfast the couple will go immediately to Honokaa, where Mr. Forbes is head lina of the Honokaa plantation. Miss Fanny Moir will be the maid of honor.

## A Rainbow Supper.

The ladies of St. James Mission are planning a "Rainbow Supper" to be given on Thursday night following Christmas at the Hilo Hotel. The rooms will be bright with shimmering "rainbow" lights and colors and set with small tables attended by a number of Hilo's pretty society girls in fetching caps and aprons, who will act as waitresses. Supper will be served from six o'clock until eight and the bill of fare will be both substantial and delicious, consisting of chicken bouillon, chicken croquettes, sliced Virginia ham, potato salad, hot biscuits, coffee with rich cream and a sweet of some kind. A Hawaiian quartette will furnish music, and the price of all is fifty cents, including admission and supper. The ladies in charge of the affair are hoping for a large attendance.

## At Catholic Church

Father Oliver, on his return from Belgium, was assigned to Lahaina, Maui, and Father Wendelin of the latter place takes charge here. On Christmas Day (Sunday) there will be six masses celebrated as follows: 5:00; 5:30; 7:00; 7:30; 9:30 and 11:00 o'clock, with the usual evening service at night. Saturday preceding is the Fast Day of Obligation.

## CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENTS.

## Sunday Schools and Churches Will Celebrate With Exercises.

Yuletide is the season most closely associated with children's celebrations of the anniversary of the birth of Christ, and as Christmas day will fall upon Sunday, nearly all of the churches and Sunday schools of the Christian faith will hold their exercises during the week preceding. The 25th day of December is often observed as a high church festival known as the Feast of Nativity. The season of Christmas extends from Christmas eve (Dec. 24th) to Epiphany (Jan. 6th) and is variously known as Yule or Christmastide.

The First Foreign Sunday School, of which Mrs. W. S. Terry is superintendent, have an elaborate program in preparation which it is expected will surpass all previous occasions. The exercises will be held in the church and Sunday school room Friday evening at 7 o'clock. The principal feature of the entertainment will be the reading of the "Messiah" and singing of one or two of the solos of the oratorio. There will be recitations, choruses by a number of the scholars, and, besides a Christmas tree and the usual remembrances to the children, there is planned a surprise which Mrs. Terry is not ready to make known. The friends of the school are invited.

The Protestant Portuguese Church will hold their Christmas celebration on Christmas morning, Sunday, at 11 o'clock. The program is in charge of Rev. E. G. Silva, pastor of the church. There will be two Christmas trees, one for the members of the Sunday school and the other bearing gifts for the poor, who at this time should be especially remembered. The Sunday school scholars will take part in the exercises, and there will be songs and recitations by the various classes. Friends and parents of children are cordially invited to attend.

At one o'clock Sunday afternoon, the Japanese Christian Church, of which Dr. U. Yajima is pastor, will hold their Christmas exercises, within the church. An interesting program has been prepared, which will be partly in Japanese and partly in English. A drill of juvenile soldiers will take place and a mimic battle ensue between the miniature army and the evil spirits. The Japanese Waiakia school will also take part. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. J. T. Walsh, in charge of the Chinese Mission and Kindergarten has been unable to prepare the usual excellent entertainment, which she had planned. This has been a sore disappointment to her and to her Chinese scholars. However she has outlined a simple program for Thursday evening in which the little tots can take part, and to which only their parents are invited.

The Christmas exercises of the Haili Church were held last Sunday morning, when classes from the Hilo Boarding School, Waiakia, Puno, Haahoe and the Bible classes took part. Next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock there will be distributed Christmas presents to the various classes. Rev. S. L. Desha acknowledges the receipt of a gift of \$40 for this purpose received from Governor Carter, Senators McCandless, Bishop and Dowsett of Honolulu.

## Springer is Retained.

Miss Kate Kelly, the lady stenographer appointed by Judge Parsons at the urgent request of Governor Carter and Secretary Atkinson, has changed her mind and Malcolm Springer the present official stenographer of the Fourth Circuit Court will be retained. Instead she will be appointed to the position of stenographer to the Supreme Court. The reasons for the change are many, aside from avoiding the discharge of a satisfactory and competent official which Mr. Springer has been. The only fault found with the latter is that he is not a member of the Young Men's Republican Club. The flood of protests which followed the announcement of Miss Kelly's appointment to the Hilo position is regarded as one of the strong factors in effecting her transfer to the position with the Supreme Court.

## Wanted.

In the Coffee, Cane and Banana growing districts (prefer on the well known Volcano road), 10 to twenty-five acre lot near good transportation. Object—Winter home and fruit growing for the market. Will deal with owners only. Send price and description at once to S. B. Mills, 172 Washington street, Chicago, Illinois. 8-5

## Labor Wanted.

Fifty pick and shovel men for construction work on Peck Road and 18 1/2 Mile Road, Olan. Wages, 12 1/2 cents per hour. Accommodations provided.  
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